

### Abstract of the Disclosure

A data packet type communication system utilizes packet framing wherein preambles are split into two or more subpreambles, separated by a number of data or a priori known symbols. A receiver chooses among individual and combined subpreamble options for determining synchronization. When a noise impulse prevents detection of one subpreamble, the impulse is detected, and preamble correlation proceeds using an unaffected subpreamble. When no impulse is detected, combined subpreambles are used.